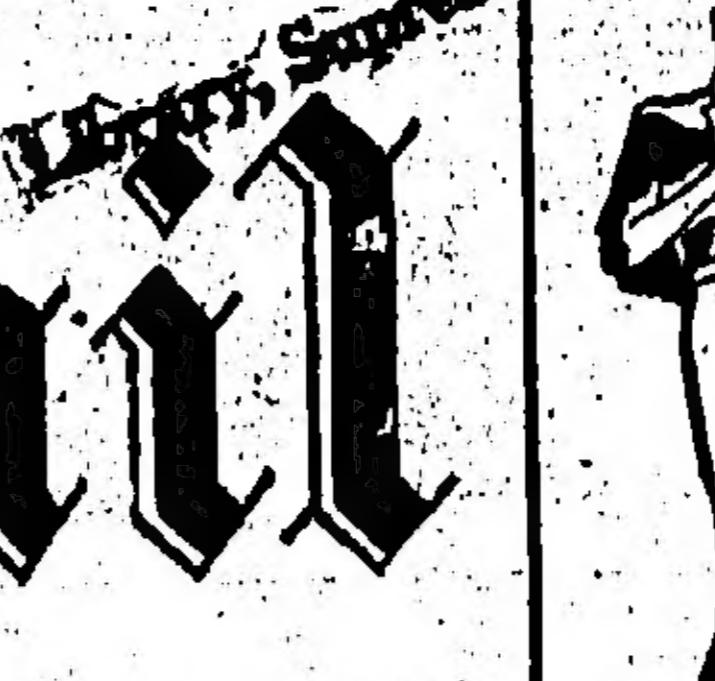


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**SOVIET WILL SQUEAL BEFORE SHE WILL FIGHT**

London Journal on C.E.R. Dispute.

WARNING TO GENEVA

LONDON, To-day. IN A LEADING ARTICLE THIS MORNING, REGARDING THE CHINESE EASTERN RAILWAY DISPUTE, THE MORNING POST CONCLUDES "THE SOVIET WILL NOT FIGHT, BUT MAY BE TRUSTED TO SQUEAL. IT HAS BEEN SHREWDEDLY SURMISED THAT THEIR PRESENT MOVE TO JOIN THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS MAY HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH THIS QUARREL."

"Possibly they hope that Lord Lytton will be sent out to adjudicate upon the value in view of their interior 'rights' in the Chinese Eastern Railway."

The Morning Post adds that they can imagine M. Litvinov using his peculiar talents to embroil the western powers with Japan on behalf of the Soviet as an innocent victim of Imperialist aggression in the Far East. The journal says that it hopes that Geneva will not be so incredibly foolish as to mix itself up in this quarrel.—Reuter.

U.S. HOUSE SPEAKER PASSES.

Henry T. Rainey.

St. Louis, To-day.

Mr. Henry T. Rainey, Speaker in the House of Representatives and Democratic representative from Illinois, passed away here to-day.—Reuter.

Henry Thomas Rainey, was born at Carrollton, Illinois, in August 20, 1860. He took his B.A. degree at Amherst in 1883, M.A. in 1886, and LL.B. at the Union College of Law, Chicago.

TAIPO ROAD NOW OPEN

By-Pass Round Washout Effected.

Excellent work by P.W.D. crews was responsible for clearing a by-pass around the landslides which occurred on the Taipo Road yesterday, and traffic was able to proceed last night.

In all, three landslides occurred on the Taipo Road, the major one being 6½ miles out, washing away some 100 feet of roadway. The other slides were of minor importance, and caused no obstruction.

Castle Peak Road Blocked.

As a sequel to the heavy rains experienced recently a large boulder fell on to the Castle Peak Road near the sixteenth mile post yesterday, blocking the passage of any but small vehicles.

The motor bus service has been suspended, owing to buses being unable to pass. The Taipo Road is also blocked to traffic.

LOCAL RAINFALL

The local rainfall recorded at the Royal Observatory for the 24 hours ended 10.30 a.m. to-day was 0.51 inch, bringing the total since January 1 to 79.51 inches, as compared with a normal average of 62.67 inches.

WEATHER FORECAST

Cloudy, with rain and light south-east or variable winds, was the weather forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

## "REICH LEADER LIKE CHRIST"



Helen Jacobs retained her U.S. National lawn tennis singles title at Forest Hills yesterday to record her third win in succession.

## RETAINS TITLE

### HELEN JACOBS TRIUMPHANT IN STRAIGHT SETS

### SARAH PALFREY WELL BEATEN.

### BOTH FINALISTS WIN DOUBLES CROWN

Forest Hills, To-day.

Helen Jacobs, America's No. 1 ranking woman lawn tennis player, retained her American National Singles title yesterday when she defeated Sarah Palfrey 6-1, 6-4.

Miss Jacobs chopped her way to victory, sending over a mixture of shots which her opponent was unable to return, continually hitting the net.

The champion's deadly service and ability to pull up and win after being led down—40 disheartened Miss Palfrey.—Reuter.

Dorothy Round, present world No. 1 ranking player, did not compete in this tournament and the only British players entered were Betty Nutall, Kathleen Stammers, and Freda James.

Helen Jacobs beat Miss Babcock in the semi-final, while Sarah Palfrey accounted for Miss Andrus.

In the Final of the Women's doubles Helen Jacobs and Sarah Palfrey beat Carolin Babcock and Miss Andrus by 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.—Reuter.

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## GRUESOME DISCOVERY IN KOWLOON FLAT

### Japanese Woman's Tragic End.

### HEAD BATTERED BY BLUNT INSTRUMENT

A Japanese woman, believed to be Miss Bapu Maru, was found apparently murdered at No. 566, Nathan Road, at 9.50 a.m. to-day.

Chief Detective-Inspector Shannon and Inspector Dorling are conducting investigations.

The murdered woman is now known to be Mrs. Bapu Maru.

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## REICHSBISHOP MUELLER GIVES ADDRESS

### WAR ON JEWS WILL BE WON BY GERMAN CHRISTIANS

### VON PAPEN CASTS VOTE

Berlin, To-day.

Although Herr Adolf Hitler scored a personal triumph by securing an overwhelming support for his succession to the late President Paul von Hindenburg as President the plebiscite figures indicate apparently that at least 7,000,000 people in Germany are wavering in their allegiance to the Reich Leader and Chancellor. This figure is comprised of 4,275,248 "No" voters, 868,543 invalid voters, and 2,034,846 abstainers.

The figures are interesting in view of the pressure put on the nation to vote—in fact no opposition propaganda was permitted, and the fear, doubtless unfounded, of some voters that the ballot was not secret.

The vote for Chancellor Hitler decreased by 1,531,194, as compared with the Nazi poll at the Reichstag elections last November, although the electorate was increased by 23,366.

Most of the "No" votes came from the big cities, Berlin having 400,000 and Hamburg 167,990, despite Chancellor Hitler's recent visit, but in small towns and villages the number of "Yes" votes were

reduced to 28 per cent of the gate

receipts to turn professional.

Mrs. Wills-Moody has not yet replied, but Miss Jacobs has said that she has not planned to turn professional.—Reuter.

Reichsbishop Mueller, in an address to German Christians, paralleled Chancellor Hitler with 9.30 p.m. showed that, with about 90 per cent voting, his followers represented 82 per cent.

The latest incomplete figures for the whole of Germany were Yes ..... 13,163,208  
No ..... 1,520,356

At 10.30 p.m. the latest partial count for the whole of Germany was as follows:

Total votes cast ..... 33,812,490  
Yes ..... 29,404,044  
No ..... 3,260,442  
Invalid ..... 648,004

The number of invalid votes was surprisingly large and believed to be greater in proportion. They must be regarded as "no" votes.

QUIET CELEBRATION Hitler's victory was celebrated in a most quiet manner. A heavy downpour of rain damped the spirits of the crowd in the Wilhelmstrasse, who watched the torchlight procession, cheering the Storm Troopers in the march past.

The Chancellor, who appeared at a window, was, however, greeted with a roar of applause.

CHANCELLORSHIP AND PRESIDENCY FUSION Supported to the hilt by the local German community, Chancellor Adolf Hitler yesterday recorded an overwhelming triumph in the plebiscite which sought the people's answer on the proposed fusion of the Chancellorship with that of the Presidency, and the confirmation of the nation to Herr Hitler's elevation to this new office.

The plebiscite, announced on August 2, following the death of President Paul von Hindenburg, was a foregone success, as no rival candidate was allowed to stand.

The German Cabinet approved a decree announcing the merging of the Presidency and the Chancellorship on August 2.

Ground Lost On 1933

Berlin, To-day. Although Chancellor Hitler, after midnight, was undoubtedly able to claim an overwhelming majority, the figures then showed that he was losing ground, as compared with Reichstag election in November, 1933.

It is reported that the elevation in status of the Japanese Legation in China to embassy is unlikely, although the rest of their fleet will be created at the Japanese Legation here.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

Shanghai, To-day. The Japanese Ambassador Mr. Sato and Viscount Saito are leaving for China shortly. They will inspect conditions here, but will first visit Manchuria and then north China.

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GENERAL TSAI FOR AMERICA

General Tsai Tung-ku, former Commander-in-Chief of the 19th Route Army, who has been on an European tour, for the last few months, will leave London today for America.



Capt. A. W. Stevens, left, and Maj. William Kepner, right, are honoured by a visit at their camp near Rapid City, S. D., by the celebrated aviator, Amelia Earhart-Putnam. The flyers and their guest are pictured inside the gondola in which they made their unsuccessful flight into the stratosphere early this month.

## DINERS TAXED IN CANTON

### U.S. "HELEN" TENNIS QUEENS BEING TEMPTED

### \$25,000 To Turn Professional

New York, To-day.

Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody and Helen Jacobs, America's two leading women lawn tennis players, have received an offer of U.S.\$25,000 each with the option of a 25 per cent share of the gate

receipts to turn professional.

Mrs. Wills-Moody has not yet replied, but Miss Jacobs has said that she has not planned to turn professional.—Reuter.

### RESTAURANT PROPRIETORS TO PETITION

### 16½ CENTS ON EVERY \$1 MEAL

### 50 PER CENT CUT SOUGHT

From Our Own Correspondent

Canton, To-day.

Restaurant owners are preparing a petition to be submitted to the Provincial Department of Finance asking a 50 per cent reduction of the restaurant tax which is based on 16.5 per cent of each bill. In short, every diner who orders a one-dollar meal has to pay a tax of 16½ cents to the government.

Although the restaurants simply collect the tax from the customers and turn it over to the Provincial Department of Finance, this is a burden to the customers. Restaurant business is not good during the present dull times, and the payment of this tax keeps away many prospective diners.

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### BOTH OCCUPANTS EXHAUSTED

### Jugo-Slavian Villagers Panic Stricken.

Belgrade, To-day.

After drifting for 15 hours over central Europe, 29-year-old Professor Max Cosyns, 23-year-old assistant, Vandervelt, landed at the village of Zenavice.

The villagers after overcoming their terror, helped to haul the balloon earthward.

The balloonists were exhausted and astonished to discover that they had reached Jugo-Slavia as a defect in their radio apparatus had prevented them from continuing communicating with the ground.

Professor Cosyns has reached conclusions on his observations, which are of great scientific importance.—Reuter.

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### SHANGHAI FIRE DEATH ROLL

### SIX CHARGED BODIES RECOVERED.

### 26 SERIOUSLY INJURED IN EXPLOSION

Shanghai, To-day.

Six are reported to be dead and 26 seriously injured, as the result of the boiler explosion in the Tai Cereal Factory in the French Concession here yesterday.—Reuter.

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### STARHEMBERG RETURNS TO AUSTRIA FROM ITALY

Vienna, To-day.

Prince Von Starhemberg, Vice Chancellor of Austria, arrived here yesterday by air from Venice.—Reuter.

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### WHITSHED LEAVES FOOCHOW

### No British Warship Now Present.

SITUATION QUIET

H.M.S. Whitshed, the destroyer which has been watching British interests in Foochow during the Communist trouble, left this morning for Hong Kong.

There is now no British warship in Foochow, and a communication received this morning by the Naval Authorities from that city states that the situation is quiet.

Fifteen were rescued by firemen yesterday, many of them being seriously injured.

Firemen were searching the ruins for bodies until late last night.

General Yang, chief leader of the Chinese Military Mission to Europe and America, will return to China early next month. The mission left China several months ago.

## MAIL SCHEDULES

## INWARD MAIRS.

## FROM EUROPE

Sirdhana (Air Mail ex Amsterdam Bandoeng Service) Aug. 21  
Mantua (via Suez) Aug. 22

## FROM JAPAN

Pres. Taft Aug. 20  
General Pershing Aug. 21  
La Plata Maru Aug. 23  
Asama Maru Aug. 24  
Kitano Maru Aug. 24  
Pres. Jefferson Aug. 24  
Ranpura Aug. 24  
Gencu Maru Aug. 27  
Tokwa Maru Aug. 27  
Emp. of Russia Aug. 29

## FROM AMERICA &amp; CANADA

Pres. Taft Aug. 20  
Pres. Jefferson Aug. 24  
Emp. of Russia Aug. 29

## FROM MANILA

Emp. of Canada Aug. 22

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Pres. Jefferson Aug. 24  
Ranpura Aug. 24  
Emp. of Russia Aug. 28  
Antenor Aug. 28  
Athos II Aug. 28  
Mentor Aug. 28

## FROM STRAITS

Tottori Maru Aug. 20  
Tokushima Maru Aug. 21  
Sirdhana Aug. 23  
Bengal Maru Aug. 28  
Lyean Aug. 28  
Terukuni Maru Aug. 28

## FROM INDIA

Sirdhana Aug. 21

## OUTWARD MAIRS.

FOR EUROPE

Emp. of Canada (via Siberia) Aug. 24  
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## FOR JAPAN

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Changto Aug. 21  
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## The Woman's Page

## Instinct Women's Best Guide

## Advice By Kay Francis.

## DRESS ACCORDING TO FIGURE

Instinct is a woman's best guide in buying clothes, according to Kay Francis, admittedly the best dressed actress on the screen. "Never buy anything unless you are positive it fits your type," is her advice to women who would be smartly dressed. "I have few rules about what I wear and what I will not wear, but as soon as I put on a dress, I know instinctively whether it is 'my dress' or not."

She adds a note of caution to women whose "instinct" may be for bizarre raiment. "Never attempt the exotic," she says. "Fantastic, extreme effects may attract attention, but if you wish to be called truly smart, it is not the kind of attention you want."

Miss Francis personally supervised the selection and making of the striking costumes she wears in her latest First National picture "Wonder Bar."

## For Thin Women

Thin women (says Kay Francis) should never wear anything which exposes neck and arms or anything with horizontal stripes. Their clothes should hang loose and not conform to the figure. They must scrupulously avoid clothes which cling to them.

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On the other hand their stouter sisters should not by any means wear circular patterns though the striped patterns forbidden to the thin girls are very desirable for the more heavily-avoided. Ruffles are as undesirable for this type of woman as bathing suit in the snow. And furthermore, you who wish to appear sylphlike, don't ever wear high-necked gowns which call attention to the size of your face.

"Any woman of any size can dress attractively if she dresses according to her figure," Miss Francis says. "I have always studied my figure and always find time to design my own clothes."

IN "WONDER BAR" she wears a white beaded evening gown created by Orry-Kelly, and acclaimed as one of his most beautiful creations.



## Pleats—With A Difference

## BRUYERE LEADS THE WAY

## London.

Bruyere makes tremendous use of pleats, but has reverted to the habit of sewing them down flat for half their length with horizontal stitching.

One fascinating frock of heavy white silk crepe had a tunic over-skirt of this pleating. This was detachable and could be worn round the shoulders as a cape.

Some of Bruyere's blouses worn with coats and skirts were composed of rows and rows of narrow ribbon, set horizontally.

FOR THIN WOMEN

Bruyere had some delightful beach gowns with fascinating capes; some, burnous-shaped with

## FLUFFY AND FRILLY GILET.

## Neckline Variance.

There should be no difficulty this year for every type of woman to find many necklines that will become her, for the popularity of the gilet has emphasised the importance of the neckline.

The gilet is not exactly a tunic, but comes under the same category. Actually, a gilet is a neckline attachment to a dress. Sometimes it is only a collar-plus, but more often it extends over the front of the dress and its sash ties in a bow at the back. In this form it is like a blouse, but instead of being worn "under" it is worn "over." In this way it encroaches on the tunic, and sometimes, indeed, is worn at tunic length.

But it is to the gilet we owe the season's so varied neckline, or vice versa. And vary it must, either in simplicity or in elaboration—all fluffy and frilly and feminine—hence the gilet, or the tunic.

## SOAP EFFECTS ON THE FACE

Are soap and water harmful to the skin of the face?

Provided the water is soft or is boiled up and softened artificially, and a high grade facial soap is used, no harm can come to the normal or greasy type of skin by being washed once daily. Dry and sensitive skins should be specially treated before and after washing, and not washed too often.

MASSAGING A THIN FACE

Should a thin face be massaged, or will it make it thinner?

Massage is a two-way route to beauty. Correctly done, it acts both as a builder up and as a disperser of tissue.

## BEAUTIFUL BROWS

## Hints On Placid Countenance.

Why is it that so many foreheads are more aallow than the rest of the complexion when by all the rules of the game they should be snowy white? It is largely because the forehead seldom receives the same care and thorough cleansing as the rest of the face. Very often it is the fear of greasing or disarranging the hair which makes us neglect the brow, but if a make-up band is worn, or a soft towel is tied round the head when the face is attended to the hair line can be safely exposed.

A milky bleach such as elderflower water applied to the forehead every night for some time will soon whiten the skin, and a bleaching pack should be given once a week. A paste of buttermilk and bran makes a good one, or a teaspoonful of dried milk can be mixed with four teaspoonsfuls of peroxide of hydrogen.

## Wrinkle Habits

Forehead lines are more difficult to cure, and they are often to be seen even upon the brows of schoolgirls. Wrinkle habits are responsible, habits such as raising the eyebrows in surprise, or drawing them together in a frown. Wrinkle plasters worn while sewing or reading will soon, discover these mannerisms which are generally quite unconscious, and will remind you to keep a calm and placid countenance.

These plasters can be bought



## HAWAIIAN DESIGNS FOR BEACH WEAR

## Mexican Trousers.

There are pretty buckled courts in linen with high heels, and shoes to match all dresses, from a multi-coloured sandal for the beach to a silver crepe slipper for the evening.

On the smart Continental beaches dresses made like workmen's overalls and smocks are seen, and that the French dressmakers are copying Hawaiian native girls' best dresses for their beach suits.

Everything Hawaiian is to be right this year. Then there is the Spanish influence on the beach, Mexican trousers and huge straw sombreros.

But I think you'll have just as much success in the shorts, necklace, and half a handkerchief.

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## A DISCOLOURED HAT

White straw hats are invariably

somewhat discoloured at the end of the summer, but last year's hat

can be successfully treated to restore its original whiteness. The best method is to use a solution of oxalic acid and warm water. Use half a teaspoonful of the acid to a cupful of water. Using a small nailbrush, scrub the hat well with the solution. Leave to dry thoroughly, when it will be found that the straw no longer has a glazed appearance. The glaze can be quickly replaced by brushing the straw lightly with the white of an egg.

It is wise to place the hat over a basin during the treatment in order to preserve its shape.

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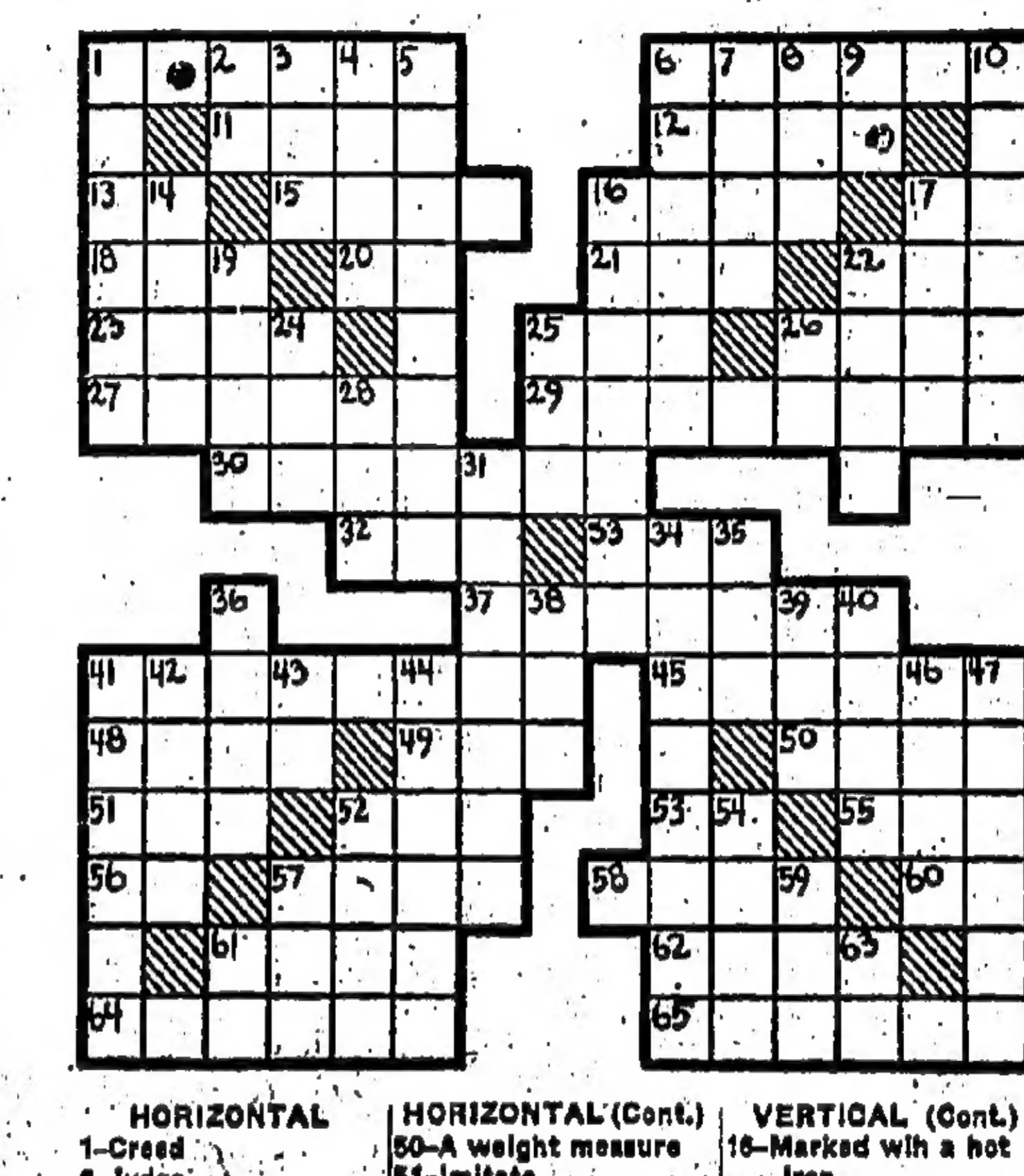
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## DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbot, plow, and altho.



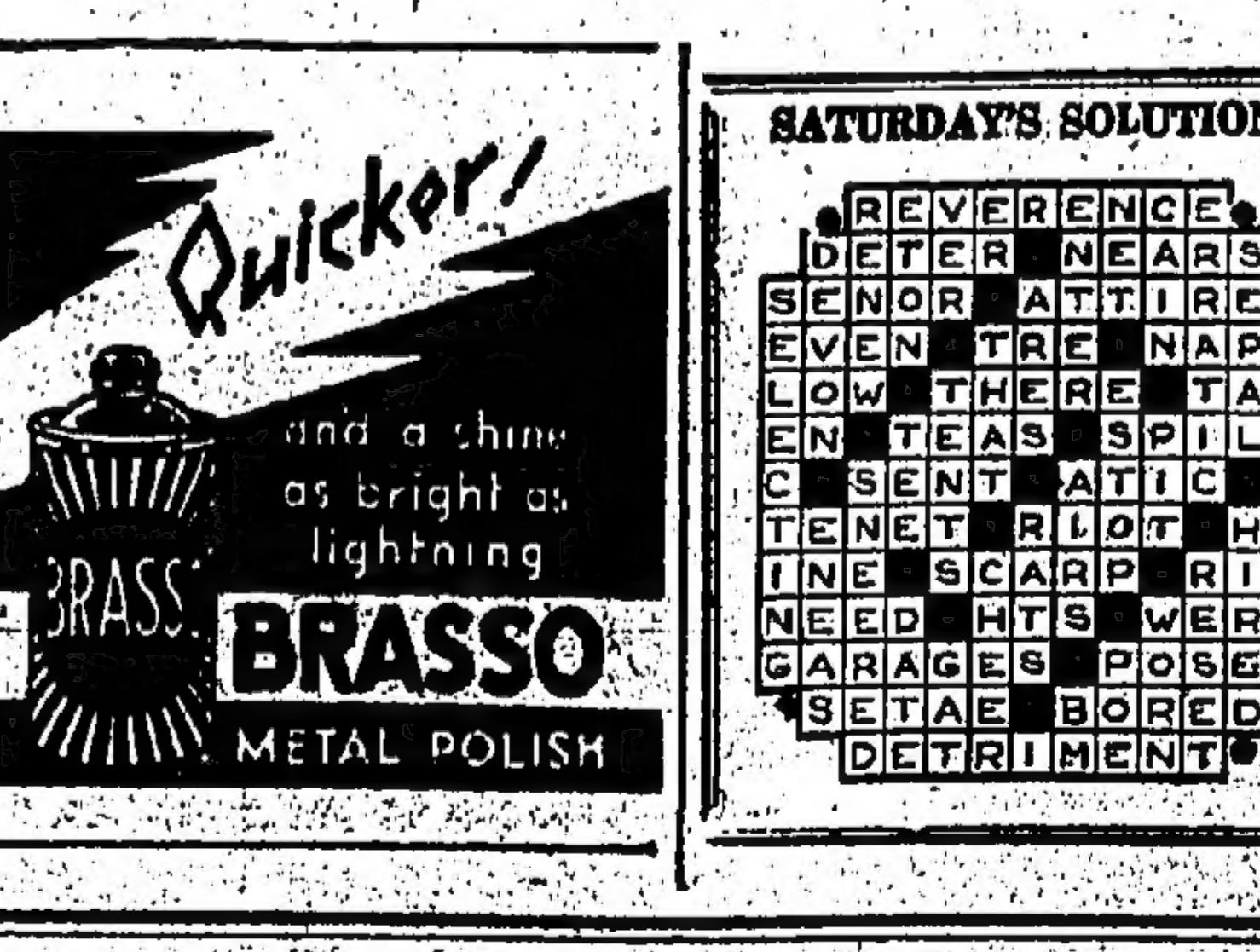
HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

1-Creed  
6-Judge  
11-Wing-shaped  
12-Trim  
13-Became  
15-Slimy, proper  
16-A child (Contemptuous)  
17-Lord (abbr.)  
18-Use needle and thread  
20-Point of compass (abbr.)  
21-To steep, as tea  
22-Three (Roman)  
23-Afternoon parties  
25-Basso (abbr.)  
26-metal  
27-Scatter  
30-Quieted  
32-A grain  
33-Incite  
37-Tolerated  
41-Fleshy  
45-Give  
48-Game played on horseback  
49-The point of a pen

VERTICAL (Cont.)

10-Marked with a hot iron  
17-King of beasts  
19-Conflicts  
22-A flower  
24-Series  
25-An insect  
26-Irish (abbr.)  
28-Atmosphere  
31-Teering  
34-Minnows (U. S.)  
35-Gross (abbr.)  
36-Heap  
38-Beast of a bird  
39-Terminate  
40-Venture  
41-Scintillates  
42-Content  
43-Very  
44-Disturbed  
45-Darrel  
47-Corrects  
52-Heavenly body  
54-The underground part of a plant  
57-Likewise not  
61-A degree (abbr.)  
63-A continent (abbr.)

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.



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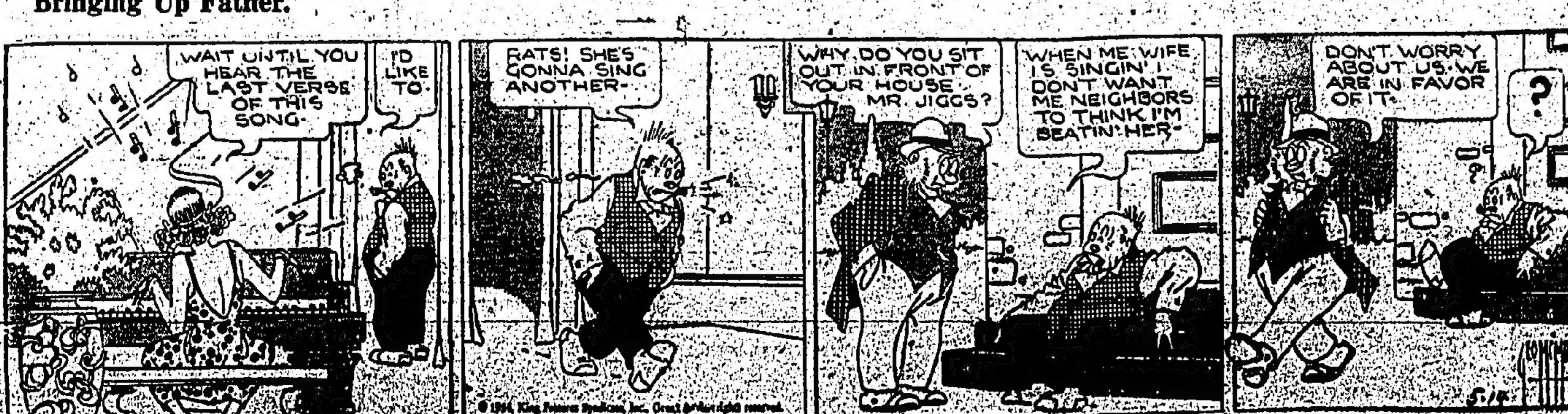
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For the information of visitors  
the following list of some of the  
highest points on the Island and  
Mainland is published:

| Island                  | Foot  |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Victoria Peak           | 1,923 |
| Signal Station          | 1,776 |
| Mt. Parker              | 1,784 |
| Mountain Lodge          | 1,725 |
| The Eye                 | 1,725 |
| Peak Hotel              | 1,605 |
| Tai Kok Sanatorium      | 1,000 |
| Mt. Davis               | 877   |
| Bowen Road (Filterbeds) | 897   |

| Mainland     | Foot  |
|--------------|-------|
| Tai Mo Shan  | 3,124 |
| Kowloon Peak | 1,971 |

## BRIDGE NOTES

Re-Entry Cards.  
by Ely Culbertson.

Mr. J. H. Vicars of Boissevain, Manitoba, Canada, relates that when the hand shown below was dealt in the course of a rubber game, he, seated North, felt that the 1000 points deficit in his and his partner's score could easily be closed up when his partner opened the bidding with a call of one diamond.

In fact, inasmuch as North and South were vulnerable, he thought they might not only eliminate the minus score but accumulate enough points on the plus side to give them a surplus with which to buy lunch.

Strangely enough, as he recounts, the old law, "To him that hath shall be given," stepped in, and after West opened the heart 5, on which the Ten was finessed and lost to the King, the Ace of diamonds was removed from the North hand, and subsequently partner went down 2 tricks, adding, of course, to the deficit rather than replacing it with a surplus.

South, Dealer.

North hand South vulnerable.

North:

S—K J 6 5  
H—A J 10 4  
D—A  
C—A J 9 2

West:

S—10 9 8 7  
H—Q 8 6 5  
D—4 3  
C—Q 10 7

East:

S—4 2  
H—K 9 2  
D—J 10 9 8 5 2  
C—5 4

South:

S—A Q 3  
H—7 8  
D—K 7 6  
C—K 8 6 3

The bidding:

South West North East  
1 D Pass 1 H Pass  
2 NT Pass 3 S Pass  
4 S Pass 5 NT Pass  
6 NT Pass Pass Pass

Mr. Vicars asks me to comment on the bidding, remarking it is doing so that he thinks he has commented sufficiently on the play. Undoubtedly, South's bidding was over-ambitious. North and South are vulnerable. South has a bare 8 honour-tricks and a suit of only four cards in length. His second bid of two notrump over his partner's response of one heart is, therefore, entirely too strong and his subsequent raise of three spades to four spades is also overambitious.

Mr. Vicars himself might well have been content to let the bidding rest at four spades but the Slam urge is strong in all of us and perhaps the contract was not as bad a one as the result makes it appear.

Let us examine the play. The heart 5 is probably as good an opening as any from the standpoint of the West player and naturally the finesse must be taken. When East wins this trick with the King, the return of the diamond is as good as any play he has.

Now, certainly, South should pause and take stock of his resources. He has four tricks in spades, a maximum of two tricks in hearts and three top-card tricks in diamonds. There is no chance to develop a fourth diamond trick, so if South is to make his contract it must depend upon being able to play the club suit so that he loses no tricks in that suit.

If this can be done—in other words, if he can make four clubs, three diamonds, four spades and the Ace of hearts—the success of the contract is assured, without the necessity of worrying about the heart finesse.

Therefore, having won the second trick in Dummy with the Ace, South should lead from the North hand the club 9. He should upon this play the King from his own hand and return the suit, finessing the Knave, and when both of his opponents follow, it should be apparent that the club suit must break.

By following this line of play, Mr. Vicars' partner instead of going down 2 tricks, would have the satisfaction of making a rather ambitious bid Slam, as he could bring four clubs tricks, three diamonds, four spades and the Ace of hearts for a total instead of with the 9 of clubs and thus make a defeated contract.

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## RADIO

## TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wave length of 355 metres

(845 K.C.'s):—

1-25 p.m.—European Programme.  
1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1-03 p.m.—Recorded Music.  
1-15 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room.

1-30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Press News, etc.

2-15 p.m.—Close Down.

Jazz Piano Recital from the Studio.

Z.E.K. Programme To-night.

6-8 p.m.—European Programme.

6-7 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden.

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock & Commodity Quotations.

7-08-10 p.m.—Variety.

Song—  
"Speak to me of Love."  
Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).

Instrumental—  
Lion Rag

Lonesome without my Baby  
Masters' Hawaiian.

Vocal—  
Musketoes Melodies (No. 11)

The Four Musketeers.

Orchestra—  
Rio Rita—Selection

Reginald King and his Orch.

7-30 p.m.—From the Studio.

Jazz Piano Recital by Pompino Villa.

Programme

1. Somebody Stole my Gal

2. When Summer is Gone

3. Fate

4. Don't Tell a Soul

5. Avalon

6. Where is the Song of Songs for me?

7. Margie

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8-03-10 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert.

9-30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, London 1 p.m. Stock & Commodity Quotations.

10-30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further London Stock & Commodity Quotations, followed by New York Opening Quotations.

10-40 p.m.—Close Down.

All Relays of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestras are by courtesy of the Management.

8-30-10 p.m.—European Recorded Music from Z.E.K. on a frequently of 640 k.o.s.

8-30-8-30 p.m.—A Relay from Daventry (Should reception prove satisfactory).

"An Eyewitness Account of this Morning's Play in the Last Test Match by Howard Marshall. Relayed from the Oval, London."

8-40-8-55 p.m.—Orchestra.

Hungarian Dance No. 5 (Brahms).

Hungarian Dance No. 6 (Barms).

San Francisco Symphony Orchestra directed by Alfred Hertz.

Summer Night on the River (Delius).

Sir Thomas Beecham and the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra.

8-53-9-30 p.m.—A Concert.

Song—  
Pretty Mocking Bird (Bishop).

Down Vauxhall Way (Oliver).

Mavis Bennett (Soprano).

Cello Solo—Adagio (Marcello).

(a) Pastoreale, (b) Reel (Cyril Scott).

Violin Solo—Passepied (Delibes).

Yelli d'Aranyi.

9-30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin.

London 1 p.m. Stock & Commodity Quotations.

9-35-9-52 p.m.—Band Selections from Operas.

The Meistersingers (Wagner).

The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

Traviata (Verdi), ...Cavatina's Band.

9-52-10 p.m.—Form Four's "Four Songs Medley Sung by the Big Four."

10 p.m.—Close Down.

stringent requirements for couples seeking licences to wed.

# Sporting Page

## FURTHER TEST RECORDS MAY GO IN TO-DAY'S PLAY AT OVAL

### AUSTRALIANS DEFY U.S. GIANTS CRAWFORD AND McGRATH BRILLIANT TWO DAVIS CUP VICTORIES

London, July 23.  
AT Wimbledon, as at Leeds, the Australians were "defying the bowlers" on Saturday. J. H. Crawford and V. B. McGrath, each meeting an American service giant, gained a brilliant victory in the inter-zone Davis Cup match. They have put Australia two up with three to play.

Crawford beat F. X. Shields by 6-1, 6-2, 12-10, and McGrath beat S. B. Wood 7-5, 6-4, 1-6, 7-5.

McGrath's triumph over Wood was an unexpected windfall for Australia. In reviewing the prospects last week I had ventured to say that if this self-possessed youngster could reproduce his Australian form in England he would prove a match for any player participating in the Davis Cup. Moreover, in Paris and Prague he had shown that he could step into the beach.

#### HELEN JACOBS WINS

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#### NOTE BY "ACE."

Helen Jacobs was born at Globe, Arizona on August 6, 1908, and first came into prominence in 1924 when she won the National Junior Championship, a title she retained in 1925.

Continuing her victorious path she annexed the Pacific Coast Junior and Women's Singles titles, in addition to the Doubles championship.

Attaining national prominence, she was runners-up to Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody in the U.S. National Championships in 1928 and in the French Singles in 1930. In 1932, partnered by Sarah Palfrey, her opponent in yesterday's final, she won the U.S. Women's Doubles Championship.

Miss Jacobs has represented her country in the Wightman Cup since 1927, and has played at Wimbledon since the same year, having been runner-up in the singles and doubles in 1932, and runner-up to Dorothy Round this year.

She first won the National Singles title in 1932, and retained it last year, defeating Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody on a default.

#### SARAH PALFREY'S RISE.

Sarah Palfrey, the "Dresden China" Boston girl, was the heroine of the American Wightman Cup team this year, and was recognised as the leading contender for Miss Jacobs' title.

She has, in the past, defeated Helen Jacobs, and has also accounted for Dorothy Round and Peggy Scriven. She beat Jane Sharpe early this month to win the Longwood tennis tournaments, at Brookline, Mass.

She has three national indoor titles to her credit, and at the age of 15, paired with Mrs. G. W. Wightman to capture the National indoor women's doubles.

#### WINNERS SINCE 1919.

The following have won the U.S. singles crown since the War: 1919. Mrs. Wightman. 1920. Mrs. Mallory. 1921. Mrs. Mallory. 1922. Mrs. Mallory. 1923. Miss. H. Willis. 1924. Miss. H. Willis. 1925. Miss. H. Willis. 1926. Mrs. Mallory. 1927. Miss. H. Willis. 1928. Miss. H. Willis. 1929. Miss. H. Willis. 1930. Miss. B. Nathall. 1931. Miss. F. G. Moody. 1932. Miss. H. Jacobs. 1933. Miss. H. Jacobs. 1934. Miss. H. Jacobs.

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#### "Feel I Have Been Insulted."

#### KIRKWOOD'S OUTBURST

Officials of the Golfing Union of Ireland strongly resent the outburst of Joe Kirkwood, who alleged that his ball was twice trodden on by a steward during the second round of the open championship of Ireland at Portmarnock County Dublin.

"We regard this as such a grave reflection up the sportsmanship of Irish golfers," said Mr. Fitzsimons, hon. secretary of the Championships Committee, "that we have investigated the matter and are satisfied that there is no foundation for Kirkwood's accusation.

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#### TEMPERAMENTS AFFECTED

One may hazard the opinion that the Americans, familiar with almost daily competition in their own country and needing it to keep them up to concert pitch, found the fortnight's interval between the championship and the Davis Cup a sedative rather than stimulant. Their rivals had experienced continuous match practice.

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#### Programme For Fourth Extra Meeting Of Macao Jockey Club

The Fourth Extra Meeting of the Macao Jockey Club is to be held at Areia Preta, Macao, on Sunday, September 8. Features in the programme include a Tap Sia Handicap for griffins of the Hong Kong Jockey Club which have not won more than \$750, and a mafou race in the Mong Ha Handicap for "D" and "E" class ponies.

The programme is as follows: 1. Mounted Troop Handicap (Unofficial). Winner \$125. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies certified by the O. C. Machine Gun Troop H. K. V. D. C. as "Regular Troop Ponies" To be ridden by Licensed Riders. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

2. The Mong Ha Handicap. Winner \$200. Second \$100. Third \$75. For China Ponies, Griffins of the Hong Kong Jockey Club of this season that have not won more than \$750 in stakes since 1st January, 1934. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

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## PONSFORD CAPABLE OF BETTERING 334 MARK

### BRADMAN'S SUPERLATIVE BATSMANSHIP

#### WYATT'S MISTAKES COST ENGLAND MATCH

(By "Cricketer.")

SATURDAY, August 18, 1934,

Will go down in cricket annals as a "red letter" day in that a world record of 451 runs for the second wicket was established by Don Bradman and W. H. Ponsford, but, farcical as it all seems, this mammoth total would never have been possible but for the five "lives" given Ponsford in his double century effort. Had he been caught, as he should have been, at 103 with his score at 57, England might have ended up the day in a considerably better position than facing a score of 475 for 2 with such good batsmen as Ponsford, McCabe, Chipperfield, Kippax, and Woodfull yet to bat.

Bob Wyatt, who made his debut as England skipper on the same ground in the 1930 series, had a miserable day. There was some excuse for him losing the all-important toss with his four shilling piece, but he later dropped Ponsford on three occasions. These lapses look like costing England the game and the Ashes.

If only England had forced home their advantage at Old Trafford the Ashes would have been almost certain to remain in England with only four days to play in the final Test. Now, with no time limit, the scales are weighed heavily in favour of Australia who are now in a position to win England the game and the Ashes.

Mr. Dickson has also tentatively arranged bouts between the Italian, Vittorio Tamagnini and the Cuban, Kid Chocolate, and Benny Bass and Cleto Locatelli, the Italian lightweight champion.

### CARNERA MAY FIGHT AGAIN IN LONDON

#### Petersen Or Gains For £6,000.

#### JEFF DICKSON'S OFFER

New York, July 23.  
It is understood that Mr. Jeff Dickson has offered Carnera a £6,000 guarantee with a privilege of 32½ per cent. to meet the winner of the Petersen-Gains fight which takes place on September 10.

Unless a better offer is received for a fight in America, it is expected that the offer will be accepted and the bout staged in London.

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### GERMAN CLEAN SWEEP

#### Roumania Routed In Davis Cup.

Berlin, To-day. Germany defeated Roumania by 5 matches to nil to enter the Third Qualifying Round for the 1935 Davis Cup Lawn Tennis competition, winning her two remaining singles matches yesterday.

Scores, as cabled by Reuter were:—

Henkel (Germany) beat Hamburger 6-2, 6-3, 6-3.

G. von Cramm (Germany) beat Schmidt 7-5, 6-5, 6-1.

EARLIER RESULTS:

Henkel, (Germany) beat Schmidt 6-1, 6-0.

G. von Cramm (Germany) beat Hamburger 6-1, 6-2, 6-3.

Von Cramm and Henkel (Germany) beat Smith and Hamburger 6-1, 6-2, the match lasting 45 minutes.

Kirkwood's reply to this was:

I think the officials owe me an apology. I feel I have been insulted, and I will never again play in the Irish championship. I am not accustomed to being followed about as though I did not know the rules of the game.

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### LANCASHIRE CRICKETER PASSES AT 76.

#### Light Blue President Of County.

Mr. O. P. Lancashire, a former Cambridge University and Lancashire cricketer, and president of Lancashire C.C.C. in 1923 and 1924, has died at the age of 76.

Mr. Lancashire got his Blue in 1920 and first played for Lancashire in 1928. He continued playing for Lancashire until 1932, and he scored more than 2000 runs.

He also played in the University Association football match in 1923 and he two following seasons.

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## Twenty-five-year-old Don Bradman has made five scores of over 200 in the course of his twenty Tests against England.

just as W. G. Grace would have done over half a century ago.

Nothing whatever is said of Verity's bowling, and the only conjecture one can make is that the Yorkshireman was treated with as much respect as the fast bowlers.

The cables suggesting a record crowd at the game were hardly upheld in view of the fact that only 30,000 were present after lunch, in spite of the fact that Bradman had scored 43 and Ponsford was in sight of his century. The Oval is quite capable of holding 40,000.

### TEST TACTICS IN DANGER.

As the game now stands Australia are more than likely to bat all to-day, and it is quite on the cards that Ponsford may break Bradman's Test record of 334. He has already scored 336 for once out in two successive Test innings and 130 runs to-day, after a rest over the week-end, is by no means beyond the realms of possibility.

With Woodfull, McCabe, Kippax, and Chipperfield to aid in the good work and 50 odd from Oldfield, O'Reilly, Grimmett, and Ebeling the Australians should easily surpass their own Test record of 729 for 6 at Lord's in 1930.

The world record is 1107 by Victoria against New South Wales at Melbourne in 1928-7, but they will hardly do that. The highest score at the Oval is the 812 by Surrey against Somerset in 1899, the match in which Bobby Abel scored 357 not out.

### KOWLOON GOLF CLUB

#### \$1,343.07 Profit On Year's Working.

#### 330 MEMBERS AT CLOSE OF YEAR.

A surplus of \$1,343.07 is shown in the report and statement of accounts to be presented at the tenth annual meeting of the Kowloon Golf Club on Wednesday, August 29.

The agenda for the meeting includes the election of officers, presentation of the statement of accounts and report, and any resolutions presented to the secretary four days before the meeting.

The membership of the Club at June 30 was 330, including 75 lady members.

The Club champion for the year was Mr. D. C. Wilson, while winners of other competitions were: Messrs. E. Christensen, R. Henderson, L. J. Cave, A. L. Eastman, W. M. Groves, A. L. G. Eastman, J. McElvie, W. Taylor, R. K. Collings, R. Henderson and H. H. Mundy.

The following members served on the general committee during the year:—Mr. D. C. Wilson (President), Mr. J. MacKnight (Vice-president), Mr. W. M. Groves (Captain), Mr. H. T. Buxton (Hon. Secretary), and Messrs. A. T. Braley, L. J. Cave, A. J. Dennis, A. L. Eastman, J. McElvie, G. Milne, H. H. Mundy and W. Stoker.

## TEST BATSMEN ANALYSED

It is said that a batsman who makes 50 or more runs can be regarded as a success, and if he is out before he makes 20 he has failed. In the analysis on these lines, below, it will be clearly seen that Herbert Sutcliffe, who has opened England's innings for 10 years, has the most wonderful example of consistent success in the history of Test cricket. Even Jack Hobbs, whose figures read 69 Innings, 25 over 50, and 15 below 20, comes below his former partner on an analysis on the following lines:

| Total | Over | Perc. | Under | Perc. |
|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| Inns. | 50   |       | 20    |       |
| 7     | 3    | 42.   |       |       |





## JIMMY FOXX HURT IN U.S. BASEBALL

"Double" For Yankees Against Browns.

### CARDINALS USE SIX PITCHERS

New York, To-day. Jimmy Foxx, star batsman of the Philadelphia Athletics and "home run king" injured his leg in the major baseball league yesterday and had to be carried off the field. He will be unable to play again for a few days.

New York Yankees beat St. Louis Browns twice in their double-header, and Detroit Tigers also won both games against Boston Red Sox.

St. Louis Cardinals employed six pitchers against Boston Braves without success, being nosed out by a 10 to 9 tally.

Chicago Cubs trounced Philadelphia Phillies twice in their double-header.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:

| National League    |   |    |
|--------------------|---|----|
| R. H. E.           |   |    |
| Brooklyn           | 2 | 12 |
| Pittsburgh         | 1 | 4  |
| Philadelphia       | 1 | 5  |
| Chicago            | 3 | 4  |
| Philadelphia       | 2 | 6  |
| Chicago            | 4 | 12 |
| Hurst hit a homer. | 1 | 1  |

|                                     |    |    |   |
|-------------------------------------|----|----|---|
| Boston                              | 10 | 14 | 0 |
| Jordan and Wally Berger hit homers. |    |    |   |
| St. Louis                           | 9  | 17 | 0 |
| Frisch hit a homer.                 |    |    |   |
| Boston                              | 1  | 7  | 1 |
| St. Louis                           | 3  | 6  | 1 |
| Collins and Medwick hit homers.     |    |    |   |

New York ..... 6 15 0

Cincinnati ..... 4 10 0

Game went to 11 innings.

American League

Cleveland ..... 5 7 0

Trosky hit a homer.

Philadelphia ..... 9 13 2

Johnson and Higgins hit homers.

St. Louis ..... 3 7 3

Campbell hit a homer.

New York ..... 9 13 2

St. Louis ..... 1 8 0

New York ..... 2 19 1

Detroit ..... 8 12 1

Boston ..... 6 13 4

Solters hit a homer.

Detroit ..... 4 8 1

Boston ..... 3 9 1

Chicago ..... 9 12 2

Washington ..... 8 14 0

## RADIATOR CAP THEFTS

### POLICE OFFICERS VICTIMISED.

Mak Fat, a 47-year-old unemployed, was brought before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on two charges of stealing radiator caps from cars, belonging to two police officers, which were parked in Han-kow Road near Haiphong Road.

Defendant pleaded that he was asleep on the footpath, and that somebody must have put them in his pockets.

Sub-Inspector C. Roziskwy stated that the defendant was arrested in front of private car No. 2017, belonging to Sergeant Scrim, with the radiator cap in his hand, and when searched, another cap was found in his pocket. It was found that this one belonged to Sub-Inspector Ritchie's car, No. 128, which was parked near by.

On each charge a sentence of three months' hard labour, to run concurrently, was imposed.

### DINERS TAXED IN CANTON

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Some of the enterprising restaurants offer "table d'hôte" courses for a reasonable and fixed sum, including the tax. This amount comprises certain courses, liquor, the rent of a Mah Jogg set, and a packet of cigarettes. Such courses are sufficient to feed six or eight persons, and the host pays a certain sum without worrying about the tax.

This novel plan is quite popular, but the restaurant owners make only very small profits after deducting the tax and actual cost.

They wish therefore to petition to the Provincial Department of



Here are scenes from turbulent Amsterdam, the metropolis of ordinarily tranquil Holland, where Dutch communists and gendarmes clashed in bloody hand to hand fighting over barricades in the waterfront working-men's district, in which nine were killed and dozens injured. The dispute was caused by a reduction of the unemployment dole. Left, a 12-story skyscraper, typical of the new Holland; right, a shopping district near the police-surrounded battle-grounds.

## Nullah Outrage Trial Opens

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### Landed Without Money.

On June 21 the accused went to a shop in Pedder Street where he had been employed four years ago. He had apparently been invited to go to Singapore, but found that he had been by some mistake landed in Hong Kong without any money. He stayed there the night and left the next morning, wearing garments similar to those already mentioned, said Mr. Fraser.

As he got Mary Pine to the side of the water she exclaimed, "My brother", and at that moment the "boy" saw a European child and someone else being washed post.

"That other person was the Chinese, we know, because he was seen by a sentry over the bridge just below the mouth of the tunnel", said Mr. Fraser.

The sentry and an S.W.B. private, O'Kelly, rushed in rickshaws to the Victoria Recreation Club where the tunnel emerges, and there found Michael Pine who was floating in the water. The sentry brought him to shore and applied artificial respiration. Later the child was sent to hospital with a wounded head and suffering from the effects of immersion.

### Walked Down Tunnel.

Hearing that two children had been washed into the tunnel, two soldiers walked through the tunnel, keeping on the right-hand side. They, however, found nothing and returned on the left-hand side.

"The finding of the accused was rather dramatic", said Mr. Fraser. The leading soldier, Private Simmons, who was feeling with his hand along a concrete pipe in the nullah suddenly touched a man.

He spoke to him, but received no reply. He then put his hand on his shoulder but was struck by the man. The two soldiers tried to bring him out of the nullah, but were prevented by his struggles. They then administered the "flog-march" and brought the man out of the nullah, keeping his face down.

The man became unconscious and artificial respiration was applied. He was later sent to hospital. "This was the accused," said Mr. Fraser.

At the hospital it was found that his breath smelt of alcohol, and on subsequent tests a small amount of alcohol was found in his system.

"Apart from these two facts and his semi-conscious condition, which can be attributed to immersion, we do not know anything of his condition at the time", added Mr. Fraser.

"The spot where the children were thrown into the nullah and where it joins the sea cannot be more than 800 yards," said Mr. Fraser. "The children were washed down the nullah at the speed of a running man," added Mr. Fraser, and the time of the occurrence could not have been more than five minutes.

It would be a fair inference that the prosecution had a complete record of the movements of the man who was seen in the nullah and that he was the accused.

Finance to cut the tax by a half. It is believed that after the levy is reduced, the bill of fare becomes cheaper, and better business will be possible.

The police were informed, and on the arrival of a European detective, the door was broken down. On entering, the body of the woman was found lying in a pool of blood.

Training Course—Part II. All recruits of the Chinese Company will attend at the Chinese Company Headquarters on Tuesday, August 21st at 17.30 hours for instruction.

Inspection Parade. All ranks of the Chinese Company will parade at Central Police station on Thursday, August 30th, at 17.30 hours under Sub Inspector R. J. Hunt for a general inspection of equipment etc. by the Company Commanding Officer. Dress—White Uniform, Cap with White Cover, Belt with Brace, Armlet with Badge, "Police Officer" and note-book to be carried. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being present.

Indian Company Training Course—Part II. All recruits of the Indian Company residing at Kowloon will attend 4, Chi Woo Street, Kowloon on Wednesday, August 22nd, at 17.30 hours for instruction.

All recruits of the Indian Company residing at Hong Kong will attend Chinese Company Headquarters, 17, Queen's Road Central on Thursday, August 23rd, at 17.30 hours for instruction.

Flying Squad Strength: Lance Sergeant R313 R. C. Wilkinson has been per-

mitted to resign from the Flying Squad, as from 10th August 1934.

Instructional Patrol. The next instructional patrol of the Hong Kong Section will take place on Friday, August 24th, at 17.30 hours sharp, at Central Police Station. All members will attend.

Dress—White Uniform, Cap with White Cover, and Belt with Brace.

C. CHAMPION, Acting D. S. P. (R.)

Hong Kong, Monday, August 20, 1934.

## BANISHEE WHO RETURNED

### Unemployed Refuses Manila Offer.

Sentence of six months' hard labour was imposed on Benito Ormella, 20-year-old unemployed, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for returning to the Colony from banishment.

Accused was banished from the Colony on August 8 this year, and was sent to Macao. It was stated that an opportunity was offered him to return to Manila, but the offer was refused.

### FIVE YEARS' HARD FOR BANISHEE.

#### His Seventh Offence.

Lo Shu, who was charged before the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice Jacks, at the Criminal Sessions this morning, with a breach of the Deportation Ordinance, was sentenced to five years' hard labour.

Appearing for the Crown, Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith said the accused was a persistent offender, this being the seventh occasion on which he had returned from deportation. After serving a five-year term he was on the last occasion banished for life. An informer pointed him out in Saigon Street to the police, and he was arrested.

### FATHER AND SON ON TRIAL

#### MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE.

Father and son stood on trial at the Criminal Sessions, Supreme Court, this morning on the charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Chan Man, a vegetable gardener, of Heung Che Village, on July 5.

The case was heard before the Puisne Judge, Mr. P. Jacks, and Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith, Assistant Crown Solicitor, conducted the case for the Crown.

The jury empanelled consisted of Messrs. Hugh Braga (foreman), O. B. Raven, S. A. Bux, H. P. Allgood, A. G. dos Remedios, H. A. Castro,



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### STRATOSPHERE BALLOON MAKES SAFE LANDING

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#### SET OUT ON SATURDAY

Professor Cosyns and his assistant set out on their stratosphere attempt on Saturday. They landed safely near Muraka, in Yugoslavia yesterday at 9 a.m. Both occupants were then reported well.

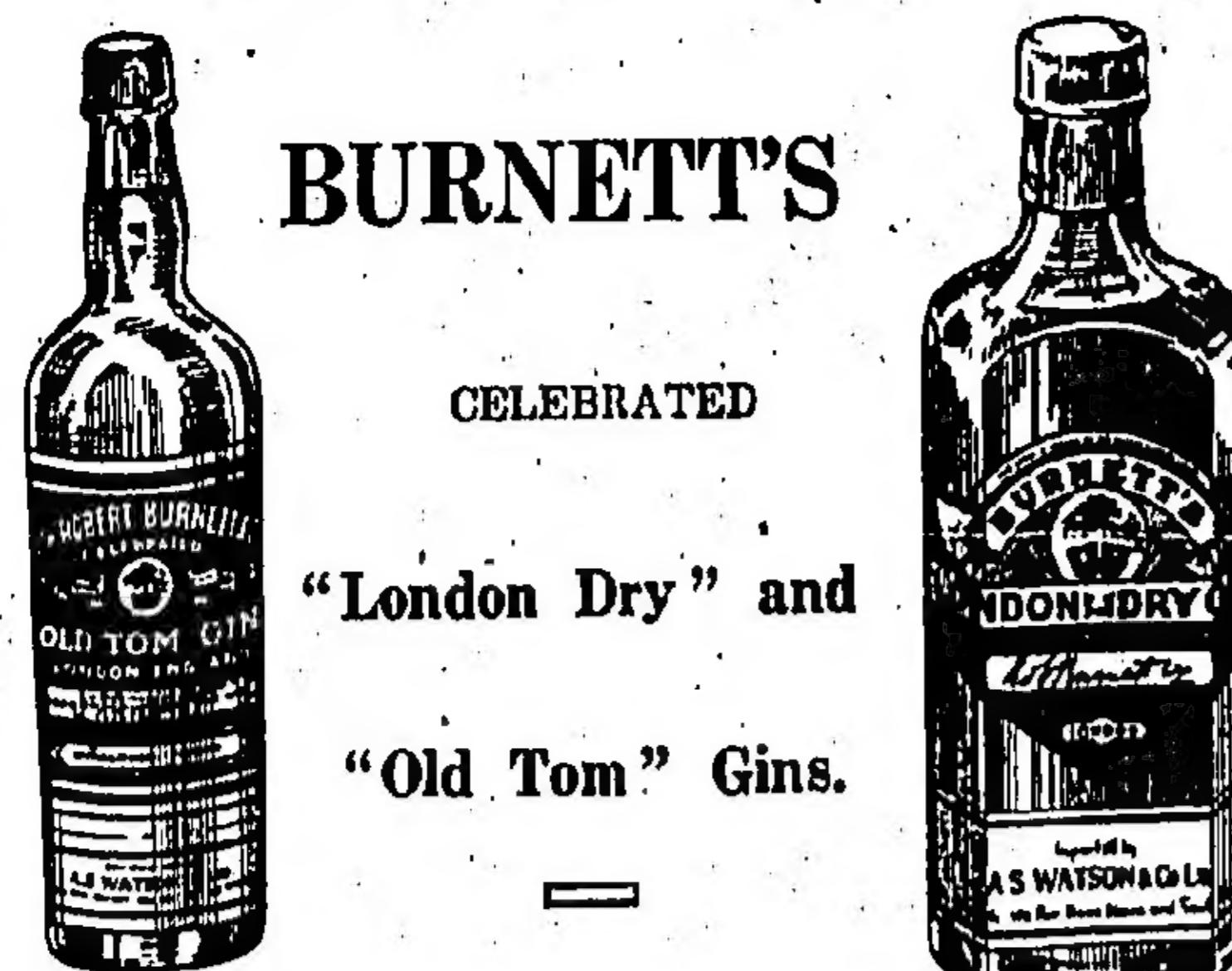
In a metal gondola, attached to the same balloon which carried him aloft with Professor Albert Piccard in the first famous stratosphere ascent in 1931, Max Cosyns

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#### DEATH.

BRODIE.—On August 15, 1934, at Wynyard, Tasmania, Neil Clark Brodie, age 68, late of the China Navigation Co., Ltd.

The China Mail

Hong Kong, Monday, August 20, 1934.

#### The Professional Mind

"Virtue a fig!" quoth Iago, "tis in ourselves that we are thus or thus." But, on the other hand, is it not equally true that a man's mind is moulded by his environment and his whole outlook and character influenced profoundly by the daily practice of a particular profession?

This, indeed, is the point of view expressed by Lord Macmillan, in his lecture on "The Professional Mind" delivered to the Medico-Psychological Association, and published in the British Medical Journal. Lord Macmillan maintains that, whatever the individual differences among the members of a profession, there are always common elements shown by all belonging to it. Their habits are controlled, their thoughts canalized, their prejudices formed, by the profession they practise.

It is a pretty point, capable of considerable argument, and interesting to both the psychologist and the professional man. Certainly, individuals will retain their idiosyncrasies, and personality is too powerful and vital a thing to be regulated and determined entirely by the type of vocation practised. But the constant dripping of professional habit will also wear away the individualist stone, and it is inevitable that the prolonged repetition of acts, the daily association with certain particular problems, the imitation induced by moving in a certain social group, the requirements of a professional etiquette, all these will tend to modify a man's nature. His mind and character in a hundred ways, often unconscious, will be affected, and his reflexes conditioned, until many of his reactions are largely automatic.

The profession, as Lord Macmillan points out, tend to share certain characteristics. "From the earliest times," he says, "the practitioners of a particular art have shown a tendency to draw away from the rest of the community and to constitute themselves a separate class with their own ceremonial rites and shibboleths." To-day the lines of demarcation are less rigidly drawn, and hence the professional types are not as distinctive as in a primitive community. But the

particular rites and shibboleths still persist, together with a tendency to preserve them intact as much and as long as possible.

Thus the professional mind in general tends to be conservative.

The medical profession, of course, has been proverbially hostile to new discoveries and novel methods, as instanced recently in the life of Sir Robert Jones

and his struggle to establish orthopaedics.

But the legal profession is also inately conservative, prone to depend on long accepted principles and precedents.

As for the practitioners of the other learned professions, the Church, they perhaps resist change more strongly than the doctors and lawyers.

And each profession tends to be selfish in putting the interests of the craft before those of the community. On the other hand, there is a natural sense of brotherhood within the craft, a fellowship arising from common interests.

And if the professional mind clings to its prerogatives, it also honours its traditions, setting up high standards of conduct, jealous of the integrity of its "high calling."

If we consider the professions individually, we find certain mental phenomena appearing as typical of each one. The lawyer's has never been a popular profession, profiting as it does by people's misfortunes and crimes, and the popular attitude was expressed by Dr. Johnson when he said, "I cannot exactly tell you, sir, who he is, and I would be loth to speak ill of any person who I do not know deserves it, but I am afraid he is an attorney."

Lord Macmillan, however, points out that "the great bulk of the legal work of the country is administrative and non-contentious, requiring no perverse intellectual subtlety, but just the ordinary workaday virtues of industry and honesty."

Yet he admits that the profession engenders the habit of judging by words, formulas, and logic rather than by the facts alone.

The legal mind is prone to be over-subtle, formal, even pedantic yet sharp and critical.

Although the Law Lord does not mention it, it is probable, too, that, from the nature of his experience, the lawyer tends to be a little sceptical and cynical in regard to human nature.

The medical mind is not so strongly intellectual, because

qualities of emotion, imagination, and personality generally count for so much in therapeutics.

His wide experience makes the doctor humane, and Lord Macmillan says the profession a generous tribute when he says, "It is perhaps in the medical man that the professional mind finds its finest sphere."

At any rate, I envy the physician the epithet which is peculiarly his own, the epithet beloved. I have never heard of a beloved barrister or a beloved

soldier."

HERE, THERE  
and  
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WALES WANTS WOOLWICH

The proposal to transfer Woolwich Arsenal to Wales has set Welsh members of Parliament to outbid each other.

The Government have been told that either Cardiff or Penarth could provide excellent facilities for the establishment of the factory and a splendid position from a defensive point of view.

The claims of Newport have also been put forward.

The champion of Cardiff or Penarth is Captain Arthur Evans, and of New Port, Mr. Reginald Clarry.

There are 33 other Welsh M.P.s.

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SAVED BY A SAXOPHONE.

A writer in a musical paper states that saxophone playing has cured him of chronic asthma.

In that, according to a medical friend, there is nothing extraordinary. Breathing exercises are the best cure for asthma.

Saxophone playing, which requires short inspirations and prolonged exhalations, exactly fills the bill.

Wind instruments like the trombone, however, do not. They require violent and spasmodic effort, and tend to produce Emphysema, of which a wheezy voice is one of symptoms.

My medical friend believes that stammering, which is largely a matter of breath-control, could be cured by playing the saxophone.

This much-abused instrument appears in a new light. It might be well to restrict its use to those holding medical certificates.

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PEERS AND POUNDS

Every question answered in the House of Commons costs a guinea. Many guineas are wasted.

Every page of printing of the House of Lords order paper costs a pound.

In the view of certain peers many pounds are squandered.

When a peer puts down a motion and no day is named for its debate it is printed daily in the House of Lords papers.

A series of notices of motion have been printed daily for months.

Up to date their repetition has cost the country \$100.

Lord Halifax says they might well have disappeared long ago.

Now a committee is to consider how expense can be saved in this direction and by other revisions of the Standing Orders.

#### Your Daily Smile!

An inventor has constructed a machine with which he can blow bubbles five feet in diameter.

News item. Remains now only the problem of finding a market for five-foot bubbles.

We don't care about returning to the 1926 level. Wan't that about the time everybody was singing, "Yes We Have No Bananas?"

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Incurable

The keenest film fan we know

is the girl who wants a cottage with Clark Gables.

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BAD LUCK

Then there was the nudist who got sunstroke through leaving off his hat.

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How It Started

Do you like this bathing suit, dear? I got it for less than half-price.

It looks as if they've given you less than half the suit.

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Facts You Did Not Know

A Paris scientist has invented water filters made of silver chloride mixed with potters' clay and baked at a high temperature, the silver killing disease germs passing through the filters.

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For railroad and traffic signals a Baltimore man has invented an electric lamp having two filaments separated by a shield, the second being illuminated to show half a light when the first fails.

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So sensitive is a smoke registering device on a German passenger liner that if a person with a lighted cigarette steps into a room where there is a fire alarm the fact is signalled on the bridge.

## WHAT A BIG CRIME COSTS BRITAIN

### THOUSANDS SPENT IN HUNTS FOR KILLERS

£1,000 PER DAY ON TRUNK MURDER

(By Hugh Brady.)

London, also cost the country the expense of trial in addition to a prolonged inquiry before their arrest. A conservative estimate of the bill for the case from first to outbid each other.

The six-months search for Major Bailey, the officer who in 1928 murdered his beautiful young wife at Hove, Sussex, was costly, costing the public some hundreds of pounds until his body was found in the Thames, where it had been wedged between a barge and the river wall just before the discovery was made.

#### Fraud Charge Expenses

Murder takes first place in the criminal calendar, and although the police move slower, the bill of expenses is almost equally great in big fraud cases. Gerard Lee Bevan, City financier, disappeared some years ago, and the hunt for him was a costly job. He was found living in disguise on the Continent, brought back, and sent to penal servitude. A poster describing him and his crime in seven languages was one of the features of the pursuit.

Most of England's major offenders disappear from London, and there are detectives at Scotland Yard who have travelled to all parts to bring back men who stood their trials at the Old Bailey.

But the zeal of the English police does not always prevail, despite the outpouring of money and hard work.

Jacob Factor, the arch-swindler of the share-pushers, has apparently won his freedom after a three-years fight in the Chicago courts. Factor defrauded English people of over a million and it seems that he avoided his just deserts by lavish expenditure.

There are good judges who declare that the attempt to extradite Factor cost England many thousands of pounds. It is some consolation to know that he cannot add to his ill-gotten gains in this country or come here any more as a free man.

#### Anonymous Person Boney

The costly fight against roguery has many disappointments for the officers of the law. There are men known to Scotland Yard who openly live by crime and dodge prison bars. Detectives are ever seeking evidence against those they know to be rogues, but they cannot forge that last link in the chain.

Clarence Hatry, the financier, and his associates were model delinquents. When the crash came they surrendered and helped the police. On the other hand, thousands of pounds were spent by the insurance companies before (Continued on Page 11).

### JOHN W. DILLINGER IN VAUDEVILLE

#### Tempting Offer To Bandit's Father.

Mooreville, Indiana. Broadway vaudeville is calling to John W. Dillinger, father of the late notorious outlaw, John Dillinger. He revealed that he had received an offer of \$500 a week from a vaudeville agency in New York, and another offering him \$100 to appear in a side show at Coney Island.

He has written to the concessionaire, pointing out that if he accepted he would have to hire someone to harvest his crops and to look after his two young daughters. He inquired about living expenses at Coney Island so that he could estimate his probable profits.

"You see," he said, "I've never been in New York, and I can't imagine what Coney Island would be like."—Reuters.

# MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE OF GENERAL CHIANG IN CANTON

"THREATENING" LETTER FOUND MISCONSTRUED

AMBIGUOUS NOTE TO COUSIN.

DEFENDANT BOUND OVER FOR "MENACES"

Charged with having demanded \$2,590 with menaces or by force from K. T. Kwong, Kwong Kam-shun, a cousin of 25 years, was bound over by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning in the sum of \$250 to be of good behaviour for a period of one year.

At the last hearing complainant said that he received a letter from accused demanding the money and that if he did not pay him the money he would kill him.

The letter has since been translated by Mr. Kwong Siu-ki, Chinese translator for the S.C.A. who agreed with Mr. H. A. Botelho, defendant's solicitor, that the letter conveyed that the writer would die if he did not get the money, and that it did not mean that the writer would kill the complainant if he did not get the money.

Mr. Hamilton, in binding defendant over, said that it was a case where he would exercise his authority. Under the original charge accused could be discharged, but he would bind him over for demanding with "menaces."

## LIMERICK CONTEST WINNERS

Mrs. A. Steer Sends In Best "Last-Liner."

## PREVIOUS WINNERS ENTER

Mrs. A. Steer, Military Hospital, Bowen Road, sent in the best last-liner in connection with Friday's China Mail Limerick Contest, which was run in conjunction with the Alhambra Theatre, who are showing "Havana Widows" to-day.

Her effort, which follows, secured her two dress circle seats for to-day's performance:

"Havana Widows"—Saddie and Mae, Decided they had best go gay—

So they chisled the dough

They then needed to go

Making sunshine and leaving the hay!

Other winners were:

Mr. H. C. Bough, No. 424, Prince Edward Road.

Mrs. L. T. Thirlwell, Taikoo Dock, Miss W. Thirlwell, Taikoo Dock.

Miss Kitty Kelly, P.O. Box 430.

Mr. C. C. Francis, David's Cafe, Kowloon.

Miss Florence Lee, No. 67, Wong Nei Chong Road.

Mr. Louis Chan c/o Butterfield and Swire.

Mr. P. Lee, No. 54, Connaught Road Central.

Miss Jessie Wong, No. 85, Han-kow Road.

Mr. H. Ng, No. 9, D'Aguilar Street.

Pairs of dress circle tickets were mailed to these lucky "last-liners" this morning. Saturday's results will be announced in to-morrow's China Mail.

## LOTTERY WINNERS' GENEROSITY.

\$30,000 Donation To Red Cross.

According to a message from Nanchang, Mr. Liu Chi-fu and several others from Kung Hsien are joint holders of the special prize ticket in the seventh State Lottery recently drawn in Shanghai.

The lucky winners have set aside \$30,000 as a donation to the Red Cross Association and for the repair of certain famous beauty spots in the locality, including Ju Ching Tai and Chu Koo Tai.

## NULLAH OUTRAGE TRIAL OPENS

## "ATTEMPTED SUICIDE" CROWN CASE

### SIGNIFICANCE OF THREE LETTERS

"The case for the Crown is that, being in the Colony by some unfortunate accident and being in a depressed state of mind, the accused tried to commit suicide," said Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney-General, in placing his case before the jury at the trial of Ho Loi-yuen, for the murder of Michael Pine, aged 8, on June 22, last, at the Criminal Sessions, Supreme Court, this morning.

A crowded court was present when the trial opened before the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor. The accused, through his counsel, Mr. R. C. H. Lim, instructed by Mr. J. M. Hall, entered a plea of not guilty.

The jury empanelled consisted of Messrs. E. W. Blackmore (foreman), C. M. Correa, L. Wong, F. J. Remedios, O. Hetchell, H. A. Alves and H. G. Meeke.

### LOCAL ESTATE

European Woman Leaves \$76,700.

### PROBATES GRANTED

Probates for two large local estates have been granted.

Any Maria Ross, widow, late of 59 Cadogan Square, Chelsea, England, died on September 30, 1933, leaving local estate valued at \$76,700. Probate been granted to Mr. William J. Keswick, Director of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd.

Probate for the will of the late Maria Anna Ozorio Baptista, widow, of Hart Avenue, Kowloon, who died on March 27, last, leaving local estate to the value of \$93,800, has been granted to Cesar Octaviano Baptista, of 12 Granville Road, Kowloon.

### "REICH LEADER LIKE CHRIST"

(Continued from Page 1)

90 PER CENT. OF ELECTORATE Berlin, Later.

Unofficial provisional final figures were:

Total votes cast ..... 42,871,911

This was about 90 per cent. of the electorate.

Yes ..... 37,806,090

No ..... 4,213,103

Invalid ..... 852,718

FINAL FIGURES Berlin, Later.

Unofficial final figures at the electorate were:

Total votes cast ..... 43,483,378

Yes ..... 38,279,514

No ..... 4,287,808

Invalid ..... 871,056

The participation in the voting is estimated at 94.2 per cent., as compared with 92.1 per cent. at the Reichstag election last year.

Ignoring the invalid votes 88.1 per cent. of the people who voted yesterday and 88.1 per cent. of the whole electorate voted for Chancellor Hitler.—Reuter.

89.9 PER CENT. "YES" Berlin, Later.

The official provisional final figures of the electorate were:

Yes ..... 38,124,808

No ..... 4,275,248

Invalid ..... 868,548

The electors participating represented 95.7 per cent. From the votes cast 89.9 per cent. were "Yes" and 10.1 per cent. "No."

The returns from a few districts have been delayed, but will not affect the result.—Reuter.

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### Local Germans Vote.

One hundred and thirteen members of the local German community went out by ferry-boat yesterday to where a German steamer was anchored outside the territorial limit. The party, which included Mr. H. Gipperich, the German Consul, and other members of the Consulate, then recorded their votes in the German Plebiscite. Without exception, the voters approved Hitler's adoption of the Presidency and Chancellorship, following the death of President Hindenburg.

The lucky winners have set aside \$30,000 as a donation to the Red Cross Association and for the repair of certain famous beauty spots in the locality, including Ju Ching Tai and Chu Koo Tai.

## NULLAH OUTRAGE TRIAL OPENS

## "ATTEMPTED SUICIDE" CROWN CASE

### BORDERER PRIVATE TOO ILL FOR COURT SUFFERING FROM TYPHOID.

#### REPULSE BAY ROBBERY

A further adjournment in the trial of Private Robert Booth, of the South Wales Borderers, who is charged on two counts of robbery by two or more and common assault, was granted by the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor, at the Criminal Session, Supreme Court, this morning.

It was intimated by Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, that the accused was still very ill in the Prison Hospital and unable to appear in Court. He is suffering from typhoid, it was announced.

#### Medical Evidence

Evidence supporting this statement was given by Dr. J. D. Pringle, medical officer of the Hospital, after which a further adjournment was granted by the Chief Justice, until the next Criminal Session.

Two other S. W. B. privates, John Roberts and Robert Horley, were convicted on the charges at the last criminal sessions and were each sentenced to three months' hard labour. The charges arose out of an assault on a taxi-cab driver near Repulse Bay.

### JAPANESE SEAMAN UP FOR ASSAULT.

#### Fined \$5 When Said To Be Drunk.

#### THREW TIN CAN AT VEGETABLE SELLER

Tatsushi Okumura, a Japanese engineer on board the fishing schooner, Fukujin Maru, was charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, with assaulting a seven-year-old Chinese boy, To Kan, who was standing on a cargo boat lying alongside the Japanese vessel in the harbour.

To Chai, the boy's father, in evidence, said that while delivering vegetables on board he saw accused throw an empty tin can at his son on the cargo boat. Accused said that he was under the influence of liquor.

A fine of \$5, in default seven days' imprisonment, was imposed on accused, who was also ordered to pay complainant \$5 compensation.

### FILIPINO CLUB MEETING

#### Officials Elected For Year.

At the annual election of officers of The Filipino Club, held at their Club House yesterday, the following were nominated:

President: Dr. V. N. Atienza.

Hon. Secretary-Treasurer: Mr. L. R. Ildefonso.

Committee Members: Dr. F. S. Fernando, and Messrs. G. S. Angeles, I. S. Castro, R. Manalac and A. G. de Jesus.

#### To-day's Short Story.

### MOSCOW STARVELINGS

The Author of this Short Story, which is based on fact, is a young Russian woman now living in England who does not wish to disclose her identity.

SECRETIVE DEPARTURE BELIEVED TO HAVE GONE BACK TO NANKING FAILS IN SOUTHERN MISSION.

NO MATERIAL PROGRESS ACHIEVED

(From Our Own Correspondent Canton, To-day.)

It is persistently reported that General Chiang Peh-cheng, liaison officer of the Nanking Military Commission, has secretly left Canton for Foochow or Nanking, having failed to accomplish his mission here.

The General cannot be found in his apartment on the first floor of the Bank of China Building. He recently moved in there from his luxurious suite at the New Asia Hotel in order to avoid being accosted by newspaper men and other inquisitive callers.

Besides serving as a means of contact between the Nanking troops in Fukien and the Kwangtung forces in the alleged joint operation against the Reds, General Chiang Peh-cheng is believed to be acting also as intelligence officer for the Nanking military authorities. His official duty is to effect a junction between the Nanking and Canton troops in their simultaneous advance against the Reds.

#### No Progress In Canton

While General Chiang Peh-cheng had been highly successful in his missions to the headquarters of other provincial-military leaders, his work here has achieved no material progress.

At the moment, the Canton high-command is interested only in "Afeguarding" the territory (Kwangtung) and protecting the people." In consequence, Cantonese troops did not make any move despite the once critical situation in Foochow.

For the time being, the Kwangtung forces are guarding the borders, and will launch no offensive. The garrison in Northern Kwangtung are keeping a watch on Hunan, as Reds are said to have occupied Yucheng in Southern Hunan.

very good."

"Let's go now."

They climbed up the steep bank and walked in the dirty and gloomy streets of Moscow. No one passed them. The big town seemed dead. Only here and there an old woman or an old man sat on the split pavement under the dim light of a lamp-post.

"Thank you, Ivan. It was good."

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## CENTRAL THEATRE

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CARL HAGENBECK'S CIRCUS

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Mrs. Anna Antonio (right), mother of two, doomed to die in the electric chair in New York, for the murder of her husband, will be the third woman to be electrocuted since New York began to use this method of execution in 1890. The others were also wives and mothers accused of disposing of their husbands. They were Mrs. Ruth Snyder (left) and Mrs. Martha Place, pictured going to the chair between a minister and a matron. She was the first woman in the country to die in the chair.



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## Moscow Starvelings (Continued From Page 9)

Those old people were beggars, and had no home to go to. There, in the streets, they spent the last days of their lives. No one came to give them a piece of bread or a copper. The people passing by were mostly hungry and cold themselves. They had no bread and no kind thoughts to give. Even if there had been anyone who perhaps could have helped, he would have passed by without noticing this very usual sight of despair and misery. He would only think what every man thought in Russia. "It is better for them, and for us, if they die soon. They are old and cannot work. They only eat the bread of the young people. They have no right to live."

And those old trembling men and women were left to the horrors of starvation.

A week later, when the town clock's deep voice, a voice full of grief and sorrow, had let the people know that the hour was six o'clock, twelve thin and dirty children were gathered under the elms of the Moscow bridge.

Ivan was the leader. He was the oldest and tallest boy of all the children. Nina was the only girl.

Ivan arranged the eleven children in a half-circle round a stone, and gave each child a white ticket with a number on it. Then he climbed on to the stone round which the half-circle of boys stood, and said: "Silence."

All became deadly still. And Ivan continued.

"Boys, keep those tickets, and remember their numbers. The numbers will be your places on the journey. The boy with ticket No. 1 goes on the first carriage of the train. No. 2 on the second, and so on. So each of you will know where to go."

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## OXFORD ACCENT IS VILE

**Noted Woman Novelist's Opinion.**

### DESPISED BY BRITONS

New York.

Oxford English is vile, according to Mrs. Valentine Williams, the British novelist, who came to the United States with her husband, also a novelist, for a short visit and stayed over three years.

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Eleven hands answered the question.

"Good," said Ivan.

"Three.—We travel only by night. We must climb on some train at nine o'clock in the evening, and leave the train at six or seven in the morning. Darkness is safer than daylight. No one must see us, or they would chase us off. Before we start I will rub you with tar. Tar will kill all insects, and you will have no need to scratch yourself while clinging to the train; and tar will make you look black. So it will be more difficult for the guards to see and catch us."

"Four.—But if a guard does catch one of us and tries to thrash him, all the other boys must help their comrade and get him free. Even if it means fighting with the guard. Do you all agree?"

"Yes, yes," the children whispered.

"Good. But I said you should not speak. Lift your hands, or don't, I will understand."

"Five.—During the day, we shall sleep, steal, and eat. The boy No. 1 has a watch, and I shall tell him in advance at what time the train will stop at a suitable station. The boy No. 1 will make a sign to us when to be ready to leave the train. He will make a white line with liquid lime between the rails. If there is snow, he will make the

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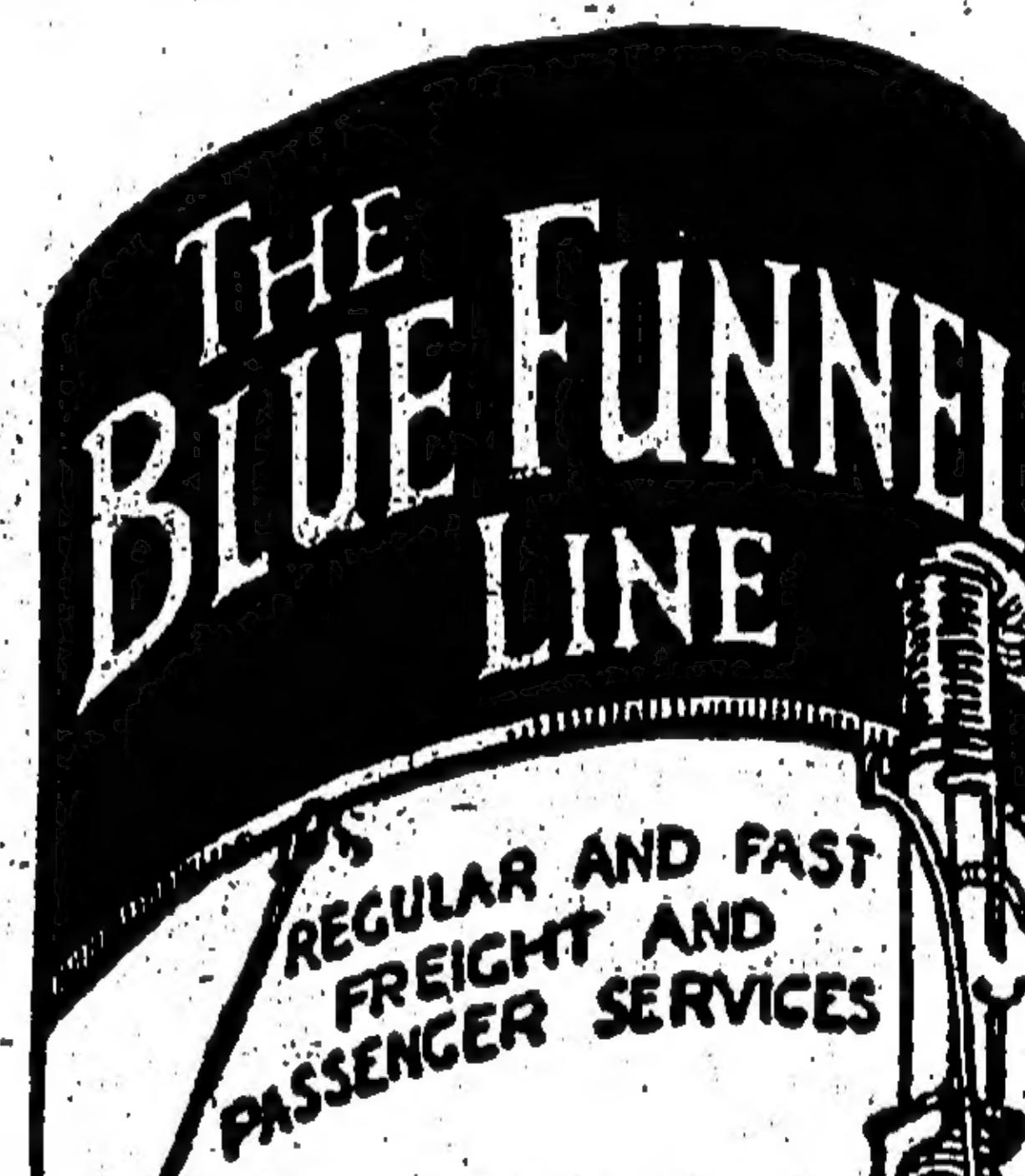
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## FAMINE SPECTRE IN EAST AFRICA

### Failure Of Rains For Two Years.

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Nairobi, East Africa. The spectre of famine is walking sparsely populated northern Kenya coast and the frontier district, owing to the failure of the rains for two years and the unsatisfactory conduct of the monsoon this year.

The Government has already provided £3,000 for the purchase of maize and the institution of road-making relief works. It has now asked the Legislature for a further

£1,000.

Speaking of the conditions the frontier district Chief Native Commissioner said that they beggar description in the Turkana country. The country is completely denuded of grass and resumable a desert. Large numbers of the Turkana have every head of cattle they possessed and are completely

destitute.

Some eke out a precarious living fishing the shores of Lake Rudolf, but they lack the proper fishing equipment, and this provides a most meagre source of subsistence.

As the Turkana are completely dependent on cattle, the number of destitutes is increasing daily. The Provincial Commissioner has telegraphed, asking urgently for £1,500 which will be sufficient till the end of the year.

The Government is considering the removal of portions of the tribe to another area.—Reuter.

Three full pails. I buried them here near the stone," he pointed with a finger at the stone he had been standing on.

"Is Nina the only girl?" asked Kolja, looking at the little girl who sat on the frozen ground.

"Yes, I am," she answered.

"Well, my dear, I hope you will enjoy your honeymoon," laughed Kolja impertinently.

Nina made no answer. But

Kolja's face grew livid with anger.

"Shut up, you fool," he shouted.

"I am sorry, Ivan, I did not mean to hurt you."

"You're better to home, Kolja. It's

getting very late," said Nina.

"Yes, it is. Good-night, Nina.

"Good-night, Ivan."

He quickly disappeared in the

darkness.

"The silly fool!"

She was very angry, but he did not

know it.

"I know it, but he has to

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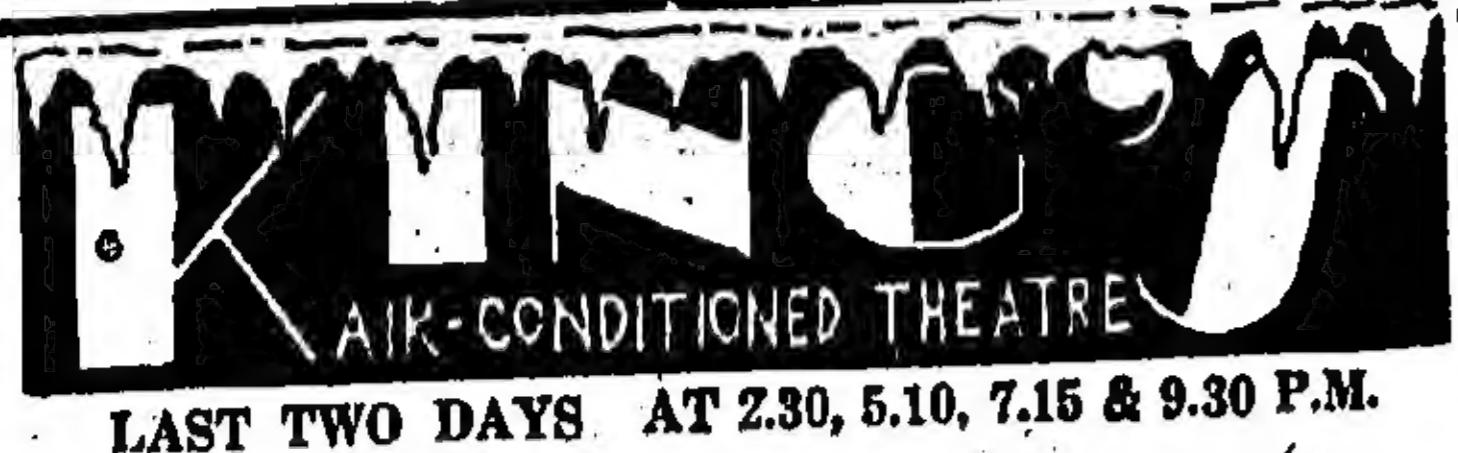
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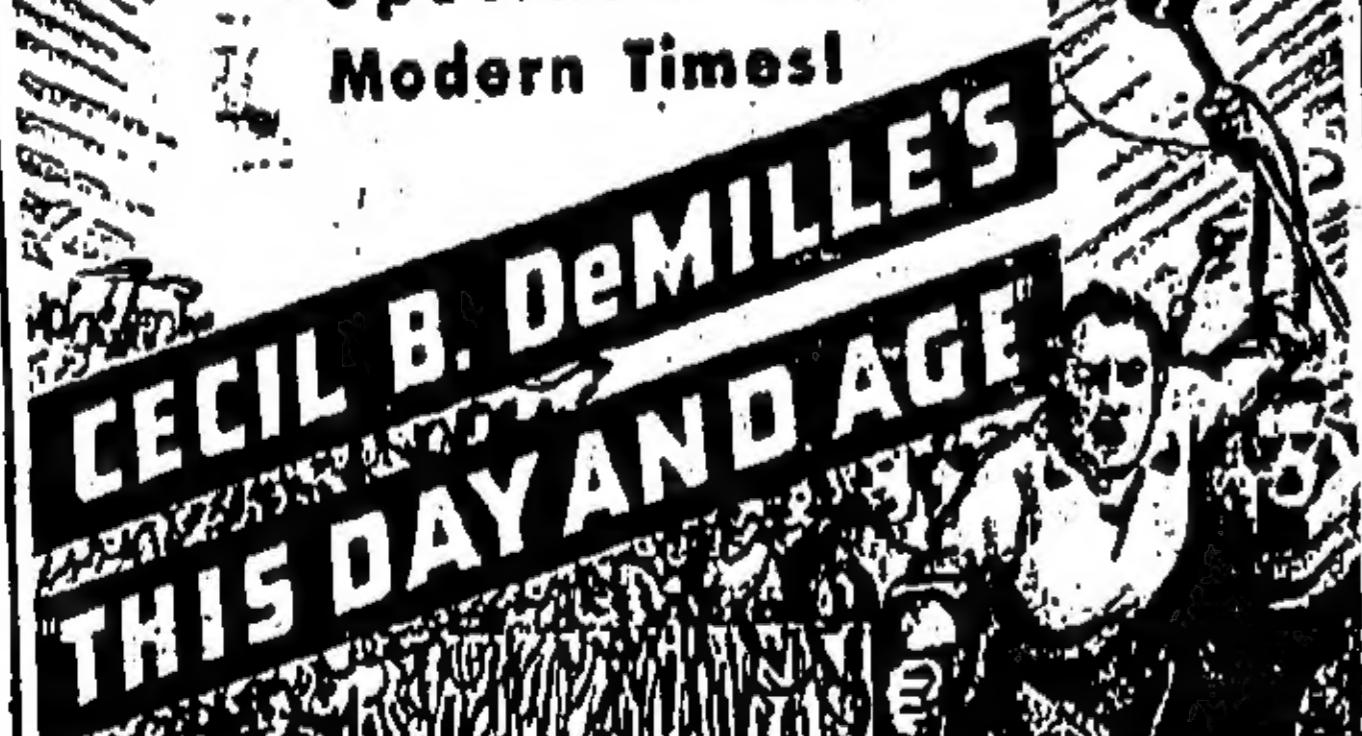
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## BATTLE AGAINST PROFITEERING

U.S. Administration Policies.

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Washington, To-day.

The Administration, which is battling against profiteering, is expected to use, firstly, publicity, showing that famine is impossible, secondly, the Agricultural Adjustment Administration licensing powers, thirdly, the Commodity Exchange Control and fourthly, the National Recovery Administration Codes.

They do not expect to revise the system of licensing, whereby President Hoover fixed food and commodity prices during the Great War.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

## JAPAN'S MONSTER FLAG.

To Wave From Summit Of Mt. Fuji.

A Japanese national flag 30 ft. by 58 ft. said to be the largest in the world will be hoisted on the summit of Mt. Fuji, the sacred mountain, at dawn on August 5. Mr. Mitsuru Toyama, head of the Black Dragon Society, Viscount Chosei Ogawara, and Count Yoshinori Futara, are the sponsors of the movement to finance the making of the flag.

## BIRTH CONTROL IN BERMUDA.

Island Considering Clinics.

Hamilton, Bermuda. Fear that the rising birth rate may result in an overcrowding of Bermuda's nineteen square miles was reflected in a motion passed

## ROOSEVELT'S ORDER FOR N.R.A. HEAD TO REMAIN

REORGANISATION PROGRESSING.

PRESIDENT'S PRESTIGE INCREASED

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New York, To-day.

General Hugh Johnson, National Recovery Administrator, yesterday said that President Roosevelt has insisted that he should remain N.R.A. head, and added that reorganization was now progressing.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

It is stated in Washington that President Roosevelt's order to General Hugh Johnson to return to the head of the N.R.A. had increased his prestige, and it is notified that business Administration backs up the policies of the President.

It is believed that General Johnson will become Chairman of the eventual Administration Board.

It is further believed that membership will be drawn from outside the present organization, possibly resulting in the injection of new views, and in the overhauling of the machinery of the Administration.

Some of the present leaders predict the approaching collapse of business control through the Codes.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

by the House and the Assembly asking the Board of Health to estimate the cost of free clinics to disseminate birth control information.

Only three members opposed the motion, which was presented together with figures showing that the island, with 28,000 population, had a birth rate which was increasing 500 a year.—Reuter.

## KNITTING PRIZE FOR BOY

Relaxation Hobby A Success.

AUSTRALIAN'S PROWESS

Sydney, N.S.W. Because he finds it "very quiet at the coastal town of Kingston, South Australia," Jack Trembath, aged 12, decided to take up knitting.

That was only last winter. This winter Jack has become so proficient with his knitting needles that he won third prize of 7/6 in an Adelaide Newspaper knitting contest for junior knitters.

The only boy among the five prize winners, Jack showed that even if girls are supposed to know more about knitting than boys, he is no mean exponent in the intricacies of lace stitch and colour blending. He made a scarf.

"As mother has other things to do I thought I would knit her a scarf for the winter," he said.

Mrs. Trembath should be proud to wear it. It was most flawlessly made in deep brown wool, in a square lace design, and has stripes each end. It did not take its youthful maker long to knit it.

Like other boys of his age, Jack is keen on sport especially football and tennis. Where there is a game going he will be found in the thick of it.

Like the Prince of Wales he turns to knitting as a relaxation when there is nothing else to do!—Reuter.

## POLICE HIRE A WATCHMAN

Memphis (Tennessee).

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